TAYLOR'S,

923 Penna. Avenue.

Great Reduction in Children's Ribbed Hose.

TWO PAIRS RIBBED HOSE 25c. Which is good value at 25 cents per pair.

LADIES' FRENCH LISLE THREAD

Reduced to 88c., formerly sold \$1.75 per pair

CHILDREN'S SOCKS AND HOSE, In White, Plain Colors and Fancy Striped Cot-ton and Liele Thread.

MISSES' HOSE

In Piain Hibbed Siik, Cotton and Lisle Thread, all colors, and Paney Stripes and open work.

LADIES' SILK, COTTON & LISLE THREAD HOSE,

All Colors, Fancy Stripes and Open Work, Plain and Hibbed, in all the best French and English makes. Also,

LADIES' OVER-SIZE HOSE. A SPECIALTY.

CONTINUATION

CREAT SLAUGHTER

King's Palace, 814 SEVENTH ST.

Cutting Prices in Two. Save Your Money by Buying Your Goods at King's Palace, 814 7th street.

If you are in need of a Nice Trimmed Hat or Bonnet for yourself or daughters, prime goods, stylish and fashionable, im-ported or domestic, you will find it at

If you are looking for the largest assort-ment of Straw Hats and Bonnets, un-trimmed, comprising every style and shape and quality that the market produces, in children's, misses' and ladies' sizes, the only place and largest selection is at King's

If you are in need of Fine French Flowers of the most exquisite styles and quality you must go to King's Palace, 8147th st.

If you desire to buy handsome Tips, prime goods, in all colors and shades and quality, you will have to go to King's Palace, 814 7th st.

If you want some Elegant Plumes, in alt colors, from 15 to 28 inches long, your duty is to go to King's Palace, 814 7th st.

If you are in need of Ribbons, we have e stock to choose from at King's

If you are in want of Milinery Trimmings, you will find a choice assortment of millinery ornaments, gold and silver scarfs, silk, Grenadine and Roman striped and pluid silk sash Ribbons, from 5 to 8 inches wide, at King's Palace, 814 7th st.

If you desire to buy Gold and Silver and Feather Pompons, Gold and Silver Net, and Colored Crepe de Chene, Silks, Satins and Velvets, you must not neglect to go to King's Palace, 814 t7h st.

If you are in search of Laces, such as Oriental, Egyptian and Spanish Guipure Laces, do not miss to go to King's Palace,

If you desire to purchase Lisle, Silk or id Gloves and Corsets, remember King's

If you wish to select from a large assort-ment of Lace Caps, stylish and handsome, you will find them at King's Palace, 814

If you are in need of a handsome and Stylish Jersey, we have thousands of the latest and most stylish designs at King's Palace, 814 7th st.

If you think of buying a Lovely Visite at half its value, we would advise you to go to King's Palace, 814 7th st,

If you feel like buying a San Umbrella or Parasol, you will find them in great variety at King's Palace, 814 7th st.

CONCLUSION.

If you want to buy goods, and wish to save your money, and desire to be treated well, and wish to find a choice and large stock to select from, you are in duty bound to go to the Great Headquarters, the Largest Millinery House,

KING'S PALACE

814 Seventh Street.

The third day of our Stu-

pendous Surplus Stock Sale of Seasonable Stuffs opens. if anything, more promising than on any previous day. Customers are beginning to realize that we are indeed offering BARGAINS. The daily throng of purchasers is a convincing proof of this, and is most gratifying to us. The

THIRD DAY

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ly diminishing. To-day we offer the follow-ing additional Surplus Stock Bargains, and do not hesitate in saying no such intrinsic values have ever been offered before in this or any other

first lots advertised are slow-

Two Surplus Stock Bargains in Black Goods. Reduced only because we have too many.

40 linch Fine All-Wool Lace Buntling, very

Thousands of things we have to sell at the same or nearly the same price, year in and year out. These we duplicate from day to day, the prices of which there is no occasion to change it is the big lots we buy that must be pushed to sale. Why do you buy big lots? you ask. A natural and proper question. The answer i tlds: In no other way can we obtain the advan tage of price. For Instance, Guinet's Black \$1 per yard. Within thirty days we paid \$1.05 for this conflity. But the Black Silk trade has not been remarkably good. Consequently, we create a demand by reducing the price to \$1the better grades in proportion. We guarantee every yard as though we obtained the regular

price.

\$1.25 Grade to \$1.00.
\$1.50 Grade to \$1.25.
\$1.75 Grade to \$1.26.
\$2.00 Grade to \$1.50.
\$2.00 Grade to \$1.70.
\$2.25 Grade to \$1.90.

These we advertised on the first day of our surplus Stock Sale, and merely bring them apagain to remind our customers that such an opportunity to seeme a Silk Dress at such prices is not likely to occur again for many seasons to come.

More Surplus Dress Goods. —They must be sold. Suppose we do lose a little money. We have sold more Dress Goods this season than during any previous one. Each season's business must

pay its own losses. Surplus stock of 42-inch Freich Teleot, one of our best lines. Reduced only because we

Former price \$1.25
Surplus Stock price \$1.25
Surplus Stock price \$1.00
Surplus stock of Gilbert's 6-4 Phabs, beautiful combination of cotorings, reduced for One Icenson Only, We have too many,
Former price \$1.00
Surplus Stock price 75c

Three Surplus Stock Bargains in Ladies' Muslin Underwear.-These should not have been reduced, being excellent value at the former prices. For One reason only we make this reduction. That is, we have too many, and know our customers will appreciate buying them at the reduced or Surplus Stock

1 Surplus Lot of Ludles' Pine Lace Triames Muslin Chemise.

Surplus Stock of Men's Wear. - The weather has checked the demand for Boating and Bicycle Shirts to such an extent we have got to force them to sale. Force them to sale by lowering the price, which was already lower than the lowest. Are you a boating man? Are you a bicyclist? Are you going away this summer? Are you going on picnics? Then you will want one, and now is the time to

buy. Men's Cream Wool Bicycle Shirts, button Former price \$2.90
Surplus Stock price \$1.50
Men's Navy Blue Flannel Shirts, lace front.

We have a large variety of these Colored Flannel Shirts (not too many) which we cannot reduce, being already marked at much lower prices than elsewhere. The Potomac Boat Club Regulation

Shirt is among this lot. Norr—Customers must not let this great Sur-plus Stock Sale make them forget that we are "Headquarters" for White Goods and Em-broideries and White Heady made suits. Never before have we shown such a choice collection and large variety at such low prices as at

we also beg to amounce the arrival of our second importantlen of Ladles summer Underwear, which in view of the lateness in arrival, we shall mark at lower prices than was at first intended, to insure their quick and ready sale. Mail orders for any of the above goods will receive our best and immediate attention. Be particular to stafe price, color and size wanted.

GOVERNMENT GOSSIP.

OFFICIAL AND UNOFFICIAL IN AND ABOUT THE DEPARTMENTS.

The Cabinet Session-Mr. Cleveland's Callers-Presentation of the Danish Minister-Mr. Bayard Going West-John Roach to Secretary Whitney-Appointments To-day.

The President made the following apointments to day: Postmisters—William Stromlier, Ash-haid, Pa.; H. H. Whitfield, Hawkinsville, Gr.; D. K. Boyer, Taninqua, Pa.; S. P. Kindt, Shenandonh, Pa.; H. T. Davis, Orange, Texas: J. F. Xeller, Laramie City, Wy.; A. L. Donmard, Marengo, Iowa; J. E. Kackley, Vincennes, Ind., C. E. Weeks, Jamestown, N. Y.

Decoration Day Boliday.

The President issued an order to-day directing that the Exceptive Departments Government Printing Office and Agricul-tural Bureau be closed on Saturday next.

The President's Catters. The President's callers to-day included Senators Call and Gibson, Representatives LeFevre, Cabell, Henley, Ellsberry, Green, Matson, Butterworth and Foran, and Judge Thoman and Consul Hughes of Birminglam.

Charges Against Governor Tritle. Robert Connell of Prescott Ariz., a member of the Legislature of his Territory, has filed charges against Frederick A. Tritte, Governor of Arizona. Mr. Connell has also petitioned the President to remove all the officers of that Territory on varying charges of corruption.

Secretary Whitney's Return.

Mr. Whitney has returned from his visit to New York and was at his office to-day. He says his inspection of the Omaha and inquier to expenditures upon that vessel were increly informal, and he has not yet decided what action will be taken in the matter. in the matter,

The Paris Consulship.

If the Consul-Generalship of Paris is not determined soon there will be a great up-heavel among politicians throughout the country. There are now 294 applications on file at the State Department for this office, including many of the names that were mentioned in connection with other

The Danish Minister Presented. The Secretary of State to-day accompa-nicd Count de Lovenorn, the new Danish Minister, to the White House and for-mally presented him to the President, Speeches were delivered by the President and the new Minister, expressing the de-sire that cordial relations should continue between the two nations.

Departing Diplomais. Beparting Diplomars.

Rufus Magee of Indiana, recently appointed Minister to Norway and Sweden, arrived here to-day and will sail for his new post next week. Dr. John E. W. Thompson, the new Minister to Hayti, will sail June 9. He is under instructions to take steps to secure the release of Mr. Van Bokkelen of New York, imprisoned in Hayti for debt.

in Hayti for debt. The Wales Court-Martial.

The Wales Court met this morning Lieutenant Lemiy, judge-advocate, announced that the ageased desired the case to be postponed until to-morrow, to enable him to attend the Criminal Court as witness in the Drew case. The court was cleared, and on opening the request was granted. The doors were again closed after Dr. Wales withdrew, and before noon the court adjourned. the court adjourned.

Well Fitted for a Timber Agency. An applicant from Indiana for appoint An applicant from Indiana for appointment as a special timber agent states that he is 6 feet 34 inches in height and is a good man, weighing 230 pounds. Understanding that timber agents should be large, sound and healthy, he thinks he is particularly adapted to fill such a position. It may be that this applicant has read about Timber Agent De Ahna's episode with Commissioner Sparks.

All the members of the Cabinet except Secretary Manning were present at the Cabinet meeting to-day. Two important questions were brought up for consideration—the advisability of continuing the New Orieans Exposition until next winter and the award of the \$400,000 ocean mail subsidy. On both questions there is understood to have been some earnest discussion.

Mr. Bynard Going West.

Secretary Bayard stated to-day that he had decided to keep his engagement to deliver an oration on "Thomas Jefferson" at the State University of Missouriand he will, therefore, start for the West next week. The Missourians are making arrangements to give the Secretary a handsome reception. He will travel in a special car and be accompanied by his private secretary, Mr. Bryant. Congressman Hurd Colone's Switzler and possibly man Hurd, Colonel Switzler and possibly Senutor Cockrell.

The New Orleans Exposition.

Mr. Freeman, New York Commissione to the World's Exposition at New Orleans has been here for several days consulting with members of the Cabinet with a view to having the time for finally closing the exposition extended until April next, the proposition being to close the building exposition extended that April hext, the proposition being to close the building during the summer months and reoper in November, Mr. Freeman has been assured by the Administration that the question will be taken up at to-day's Cabinat meeting.

The Clark Investigation.

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In the investigation of Architect Clark to-day Mr. Heideureich concluded his testimony and John Lyons, a marble and sione-cutter, was sworn. Mr. Miller and Mr. Hay both urged that no further cumulative testimony be taken regarding "stms" and the "crack" found, as it seemed unnecessary to produce all the 1,000 witnesses for the prosecution, Colonel Jackson asked that the examination proceed. Lyons told nothing new but said if he was an inspector he would not receive much of the Capitol approach

Mr. John Roach writes as follows to the Secretary of the Navy: "Although I con Secretary of the Navy: "Although I consider, and it appears very plain, under the terms of the contract, that my liability ceased and all conditions required of me were complied with on the termination of the trial of March 10, still I am very willing, as I have previously stated to you, to do all in my power to salish to the constant. do all in my power to salisfy you as to the efficiency of the ship, so far as I am responsible under my contract. For this purpose the trial on Long Island Sound will be made on the 28th instant, as you direct, and the other at as early a date thereafter as unruleable.

Joseph Wooden, the first colored Demo eratic watchman appointed at the Treasury, has had an undappy time of it. H We also beg to announce the arrival of our second importation of Ladies' summar Underwear, which in view of the lateness in arrival, we shall mark at lower prices than was at first intended, to insure their quick and ready sale. Mail orders for any of the above goods will receive our best and immediate attention. Be particular to state price, color and size wanted.

WOODWARD & LOTHROP,

scults. Last night his aiarm was greater than before, and enhanned in a nervous attack shortly after 3 o clock, during which he went into convulsions caused by terror and screamed and yelled and went until he was removed from the building and taken home in an ambulance. It is stated that the rats and mice and the sounds of wind and rain and of returning or departing employes or patrolling watchmen were the only real causes for his excitement, but there is a suspicion that these were intensified by the devices of practical jokers, and that the ghostly apparitions which he claims to have seen had material bodies and intended to make life as unhappy as possible for the new had material hodies, and intended to necke life as unhappy as possible for the new watchman. The frightened watchman was reported by rumor to day to be vio-lently insane. The watchmen and other-Treasury employes deny that they did anything to increase his terror or excite-ment, and chaim to have endeavored in every way to allay his fears. They say he had never before been to a city or in a big building, and that he was fully impressed with the idea that Washington was full of Republicans intent upon assassinating 'Democratic officeholders,

The committee on distinctive paper bids will make no report until after the return of Secretary Manning.

The President and Postmister-General spent last evening together, while Miss Cleveland entertained Scoretary and Miss Endicott.

The resignation of George S. Torrance, a first-class clerk, in the First Auditor's office, has been requested that expenses may be reduced.

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Henry Carter, Joseph Wooden and Ebenezet Crosby have been appointed watchmen, at the Treasury Department to fill vacancies caused by removals.

The President and Colonel Lamont drove to the Navy-Yard yesterday afterneon. Colonel Lamont and family have returned to the Arlington Hotel.

The Postmaster-General to-stay ap-pointed fifty fourth-class postmasters, only one Virginian being on the list. L. S. An-derson for the office at Orlean, Fauquier

The statement is made that the President has determined not to appoint a California man as Minister to China. Colonel Deply of Indiana is now mentioned as a prominent candidate.

In view of the alleged prevalence of yellow fever in the northern Mexican States, the Secretary of the Treasury will probably reappoint the sanitary inspect-ors on the border line of Arizona. The committee who are examining the The committee who have real reserving and Printing will not flaish counting till to-morrow, and the employes need not report for duty until Thursday morning.

Walter F. Schuckers of Illinois has been appointed superintendent of buildings in the Pension office, at \$1,400 per annion. He succeeds Mr. John Dickerson, who at request, has been reduced to a

The filinois office-seeking contests have been renewed with vigor. Congressmen Morrison. Townsherd and Lawler are here and Ward and Eaton are expected today. The principal contest is still over the Chicago Marshalship and no indication has been given of the result.

Sceretary Lamar has ordered the stop-page of payments on the work of improv-ing Hot Springs Creek in Arkansas, be-cause the work is not satisfactory. The contractors will appeal to the Court of Claims. Of the \$60,000 appropriation about \$40,000 have been expended. General Atkins, Major Hassier, and the force that went to New York to open Indian supplies for the next discal year have returned and resumed their duties at the Interior Department. The biddle for fremishing many of the articles required were less than those of last year.

John H. Cole of Keokuk, Iowa, has been billing to be erected there, for which as appropriation of \$100,000 was made by the last Congress, and the site selected by the commission appointed for that purpose has been approved by Secretary Manning.

Professor Riley of the Agricultural De parlment says the seventeen-year locusts whose visit he has predicted, are harmless to growing crops and do no injury except to the twigs of forest and fruit trees. It is probable that the use of kerosene emul-sion sprayed upon the trees will protect

The Secretary of the Treasury has awarded a gold medal to John P. F. Hagen of Philadelphia for heroic services in saving the lives of twelve boys who fell into the Schuylkill River in February last; also, a silver medal to Harry Rutler of Atlantic City, for heroic conduct in saving the life of D. E. Jackson at Atlantic City last summer.

The Postmaster-General has awarded to the American Bank Note Company of New York the contract for furnishing postage stamps for the next four years at \$101,516.82 per annum for the ordinary stamps, and \$2,442.79 for postage due and other issues of stamps. The price is about three cents per thousand cheaper than un-der the present contract. der the present contract.

Director-General Burke of the New Or-Director-General Burke of the New Or-leans Exposition denies the report that he had become responsible for obligations of the World's Exposition to the amount of \$150,000 and was thereby financially involved. The total indebtedness to Lou-isiana creditors unpaid on the 20th Instant was \$105,000, half of which has since been paid, and it is believed that the balance will be paid in full.

Admiral Upshur's reported action in compelling the purchase of supplies at Callao from a merchant who was not the lowest bidder, is said to be explained by the fact that the merchants of Callactormed a combination to force up prices One merchant kept out of this corner, and Upshur ordered that purchases be made from him. After Upshur's departure the combination was broken, and some of the dealers adopted prices lower than those from whom the purchases continued to be made under the order.

Ella Burroughs Returns.

Major Dye has received information that Ella Burroughs, the young girl who left home, at Norbeck, Md., and was after-ward seen in male attire, has returned come as mysteriously as she left, and in

PERSONAL MENTION.

-Hon, J. J. Greenough of Syracuse, N. Y., is at the Ebblit. -Paul Tuckerman and Mrs. Lucius Tuckerman. New York, are at Wormley's.
-General T. E. Smith and E. W. Page of New York are stopping at Chamberlin's. -Representatives Magee of Indiana and William Ward of Chester, Pa., are at the Riggs. -Hou, J. H. McEntire, St. Louis, and Hon. J. B. Brawley, Pennsylvania, are at the Ebbirt.

-G. Woodworth Colton of New York and Sudge James Kelth of Virginia are at the National.

- Representative R. T. Bennett of North Caroling and F. L. King, N. Y., are at the Metro —Hor. T. C. Campbell, one of the most prominent Denocrats of Cincinnati, is at the Ebbitt with his wife.

-A. M. McGregor, editor Stark County (O.) Democrat, is the guest of Samuel Hall, on North Carolina ave. - A. G. Freeman of Des Moines, Lowa, and N. Husted and W. T. Lockwood, Tarrytowa, N. Y., are at Willard's. -T. B. Bradley of Meadville, Pa., J. C. streen of Kric. Pa., and J. N. Beckley of classer, N. Y., are at the Ebbit.

-William Walter Phelps of New Jorsey, Winrton J. Green of North Carolina and R. S. Green, wife and daughter of New Jorsey, are at the Arimaton.

-Mr. R. A. Parke of this city, passenger agent of the Fennsylvania thallway, and Mrs. Parke are guests of Colonel W. W. Styff at Most finance in

BEN: PERLEY POORE.

THE DEAN OF THE CORPS OF CAPI-TAL CORRESPONDENTS.

A Long and Busy Life, Which He Has Made Useful to His Profession, Honorable to Himself and a Source of Happiness to His Associates.

Major Ben: Perley Poore was born in Massachusetts in 1820. He is the dean of Washington correspondents, having commenced his journalistic career here in 1840, although he first came to Washlagton in 1827. In 1836 the Major accompanied his father on a visit to President Andrew Jackson and received the Presi dent's autograph. That little circumstance started a collection, which has been added to every year since, and the Major now has over 15,000 autograph letters,



BEN : PERLEY POORS.

In 1852 the Major published a series of fifteen illustrated articles to show that the style of the autograph indicated the char-acter of the mind.

syle of the autograph indicated the character of the mind.

In 1856 the Major, in his Republican enthusiasm, was induced to bet that Fremont would be elected President. The wager was that the loser of the bet should wheel a barrel of apples in a wheel-barrow from Newburyport to Boston, a distance of thirty-seven miles. The day after election the Major started, and the cheers of an enthusiastic multitude, with his wheel-barrow and apples, accompanied by a reporter of a Boston paper to see that the Major didn't reduce the weight of the freight by eating up the apples. On the morning of the third day, as he entered Boston, he was greeted by an immense throng, a military escort and a big band of music escorting the expedition through music escorting the expedition through the crowded streets to the Tremont House where the major mounted his barrel of apples, made a patriotic speech and de-livered the apples to the winner of the

The Major was the Washington corre-The Major was the Washington correspondent of the Boston. Journal for many years, and his letters over the signature of "Perley" are familiar throughout New England. He is now—and has been when-ever the Bepublicans controlled the Senate—the clerk to the Committee on Printing and Records and the editor of the Congressional Directory. The Major is now an employ in writing a series of efficies for gressional Directory. The Major is now engaged in writing a series of articles for the Providence Journal and the Boston Biologet. They are in the nature of reminiscences, and Tare Currie reporter last evening found the Major at work on the 104th article. They are to be issued in book form soon, under the title of "Sixty Years in Washington."

The Major's arequaintance with public pages of the past and presently years in Version.

men of the past and present is very ex-tensive, and his fund of anecdotes in re-lation to the celebrities of his time is in-

intion to the teleprities of his time is inexhaustible.

The Major retains his youthful spirits
and boyish nature to a wonderful degree,
and the report started by some of his enyious journalistic rivals that "the Major
was chairman of the press countrities
which greeted Christopher Counting
when he landed in America." does not in
the least district his philosophical equanthe least disturb his philosophical equan-Major Poore has attended and feasted

at more dinners and banquets in Washington than any one of the journalistic guild. As a popular after-dinner talker classic story-teller and reciter of anecdotes and reminiscences he is unequalist. The Carrie artist sketched the Major as he was Curie artist sketched the Major as he was reciting at a recent banquet given by the Washington Journallist some of his famous classic stories such as "The Little Corpe-tal." "The Origin of Mock Turtle." "The Hayerhill Militia" and "The Georgia Major," which are delivered from notes in Greek in the most chaste and refined diction in the gallant Major's happy and impressive style.

impressive style.

In person the Major is of middle stature. In person the Major is of middle stature, but of commanding presence, with a face as sunshing as his disposition and a rotund frontage which even Jack Falstaff would have envied. He has also a colon, if any one should print his name this way, "Ben Perley Poore," instead of this way, "Ben Perley Poore," there is no telling what catastrophe might easile. It is thought by his most intimate friends that should the Major go out without his colon he would catch cold.

The New Route to Philadelphia.

Barristons, May 20,—The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company expect to have all the rails laid on the line between Baltimore and Philadelphia by October. The road will enter this city from the castern city limits, along Eastern avenue and Lombard street by an elevated road to Canden station. From Canton castward to Philadelphia about 90 per cent. of the grading has been done and the work of constructing the tracks begun. At no point does the grade exceed one foot to the hundred feet. The line runs from one to five miles north of the P., W. & B. Railway. The cost for constructing and equipping the road will not exceed \$10,00,00. The masonry of the Susquehaum River bridge will be completed by the middle of next month. This is one of the largest bridges in the world. It has 11 piers, 2 abuttnents and 180 pedestats. The New Route to Philadelphia.

The Congo Conference.

New York, May 26,—General H. S. Sanford of Florida, who with Minister Kasson represented the United States at the Congo Conference, arrived from Europe on Sanday. He expresses himself as much gratified with the work of the conference. He predicts that the work of the conference would ultimately be acknowledged as one of the greatest works of the century. He attributes the agreement reached to the fact of the United States having recognized the flag of the International Congo Association. Previous to that the association had but a private character. The Congo Conference.

Cambling at Vale. Gambling at Vale,

Beerox, May 26.—A Hartford special to
the Herald says: It is reported in New
Haven that fluring the past few months
there has been a wonderful increase in
gambling at Yale College. A few days
ago five "Academies" won \$500 in the
Kentucky State Lettery, and since then
almost every young man has invested in
the lettery lickels.

THE DISTRICT OFFICES. Candidates Whose Applications Are o

File at the White House, The following is a complete fist of car didates for local positions who have been recommended to the President or have filed applications at the White House a thown by the records of the Executive

COMPRESSIONAL Stephen D. Charles, S. J. Bowen.

W. D. Cabell, Charles Thompson, jr. Colonel W. G. Moore, B. S. White, E. C. Johnson, Courtland H. Smith, E. B. Hay Thomas P. Morgan.

RECORDED OF BEEF Dorsey Clagett, Ira N. Burritt, Wm. P. Young, Francis McNerhany, Henry L. Johnson, L. P. M. Watkins, Jesse K. Williams, Dr. Jerome Biley, Brooky Mackall, Dr. James J. Given, A. H. F. Hotstei, T. J. Luttrell, John E. Norris.

RESISTER OF STREET, A. H. Walsh, Charles F. McLaushin, A. H. Walsh, Charles F. McLaushin, Page McCarty, Arthur St. C. Denver, Wal-son Boyle, Sellman K. Hannegan, R. T. Morsell, Harold Snowden, Benjaman G. Lovejov, Robert V. Hughes, John W. Ross, William H. Dennis.

Filed at the Interior Department in addition to the above:
For Recorder of Deeds—Louis Schude
L. Q. Washington, F. A. Tolson,
For Register of Wills—W. Pierce Rell.
Charles Eaton Creecy.

SENSATION IN A SEMINARY.

A Young School Girl Shoots Herself with a Revolver. Newver, May 26.—Miss Ella Canfield daughter of Mrs. E. T. Canfield of Washington, D. C., attempted suicide yesterday afternoon by shooting herself. She is student at the DeWiit Seminary for Youn Ladies, in Belleville, five miles from here. As the pupils were returning from dinner, a shot was heard in Miss Can field's room, and she was found lyin upon the floor insensible, with a bulb hole in the left breast above the heart Physicians who were summoned pro-nounced the wound fatal.

nounced the wound fatal.

Mrs. Canfield, who resides at \$10 Tweirth street, in this city, last evening received a dispatch announcing the attempt of her daughter Ella, who is generally called Nellie, to take her life. She left on the first train to join herefuld. Mrs. Canfield is a lady about 42 years of age. She is a widow, and a native of Springheld. Ill. She has a younger daughter fiving here. The two girls conditute her family. She has for a number of years been employed in the State Department.

Her daughter is about its years of age, of pelife figure and very pretty. She has many warm friends here. No cause for her act, other than a temporary mental aberration, can be conceived by those who know her. Miss Canfield became an immate of the Belleville Seminary about three months age. She had just recovered from a severe case of correbre-spinghagen.

three months ago. She had just recovered from a severe case of cerebro-spinghaminghis. About two weeks ago an excrement from her cars confined her to her come. Her health had been undermined. An attack of delirium came on and her mind was greatly affected. There were many evidences of this noticed by the other inmates of the seminary.

Once in this city she left her home and wandered down to the Convent of the Sacred Heart in South Washington: It was only by accident that her whereabouts were legmed. She refused to even tell her hame. At another time she secreted a pistol in her room, but it was taken from her before she could harm her-

taken from her before she could harm her

self.
Mrs. Canfield was a Miss Todd, and is a niece of the wife of President Lincoln. TALKING ABOUT BAPTISM. About Roman Catholic Doctrines.

Cixcisnati, O., May 26,—At yesterday's coston of the Presbyterian General Assem session of the Pre-Syterian General Assembly, when Judge Drake's resolution against the validity of Roman Catholic baptism was taken up, he yleided the floor, asking that some opponent open the debate and that he be allowed to close. Dr. W. C. Alexander, professor in the Theological Seminary of San Francisco, spoke in opposition to the resolution. He said it was useless, as it would not be a deliverance but simply an expression of opinion of those voiling. It was mischievous, since by passing it we make ourselves the langling stock of the world. It is more papar than all the popes combined. It involves a misinterpretation of the standards, according to which the visible Church 'is composed of all those who profess the true religion.' This resolution denies the validity of the baptism administered to millions of persons who have come into allfons of persons who have come into he Protestant Church from the Roman atholic Church and nover received any

other baptism.

Dr. Schaff offered a substitute for the resolution to the effect that the Roman Catholic Church, though corrupt and teaching many unscriptural errors yet retaining the Holy Scriptures and ancient creeks with all the fundamental traffs of the visi-

true and valid Christian baptism, which cannot and ought not to be repeated.

Dr. Schaff spoke in favor of the substitute by showing from the history of the church that baptism administered in the name of the Trinity with the propor intention, regardless of the character of the one administering it, had always been considered valid. Further delate was posteroid. postponed. A Telephone Company's Fight. A Telephone Company's Fight.

Lowert, Mass. May 20.—The attachs
ments on the personal property of the members of the Lowell Telephone Sendicate,
which were such by the Eric Telephone
Syndicate, were removed last evening
without bonds being furnished, and the
keepers were romoved from their private
resilience after a week's senous. Since

residences after a week's squarm. Since the attachment every action of the de-fendants upon the street has been closely watched and commented upon. Many valuable horses were kept in the stable without being exercised. Fish's Compliments to Ward. New Your, May 26.—James D. Fish, ex-president of the Marine Bank, was exam-med in Ludlow-Street Jail gesterday by him and lying to him. Mr. Ward wa an adjoining room and could hear the c pliments of his former friend and ally

Thanks From Preller's Father. Thanks Fram Preller's Father.

St. Louis, May 20.—Mr. E. Preller of Loudon, father of the young man who was mardered in this city by Maxwell has written to the cellor of the Globe-Drawovat expressing his thanks for the efforts of the detectives in ferretting out the mirder and also for the interest taken in the case by the Globe-Drawovat,

The Cinverius Trial.

RICHMOND, VA., May Di.—The defense in the Chiverius trial opened this morning the first witness being Mrs. Tunsuit the prisoner's aunt, who testified that the watch key shown in court was not the one she had given the prisoner, and who had had worn.

Cholera Reported in Canada. OTTAWA, May 26 - It is reported that I Dominion Government have been metited of two cases of cholera having appeared on an inward-bound yessel, and that the patients have been labeled at the Grosso Lib agranting attitute. Isle quarantine station.

DR. MUIR'S APOSTASY.

A STARTLING SENSATION IN THE FREE CHURCH OF LEITH.

The Doctor Declares Adhesion to Cartain "Popish Practices" and the Plous Scotch Clergy Cry "Shamet" at His Departure From the Faith.

Epixovision, May 26.- A great sensation has been inused in Free Church circles over the alleged apostasy of Dr. Adams Stuart Muirer Trinity Free Church, Leith, whose appeal from his dismissal for Popish practices" has just been unsue-

"Popish practices" has just been unsuc-cessfully heard by the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland. Dr. Mair was accused of teaching business regen-cation, worshiping before a crucifix, etc... He defended himself in an eloquent ad-dress, ducing which he horrified the as-sembly when he quoted Cardinal New-hours hymn, "Lead Kindly Light," and, taking an ivory crucifix from his coat-porket, held it old in his hand amid hisses-and cries of "Shame" whereat he cried underies of "Shame," whereat he cried out that he would die with this enthem of full mann his besom. It is expected hat he will enter the Romish Church.

Archbishop of Dablin. Directs, May 26.—A telegram from a high evelestastic in Rome states that Dr. Wm. Watsh, president of the Maynooth College, has been named by the Pope as Archbishop of Dubilo.

The Guards from Saakim. ALEXANORIA, May 25.—The guards ar-fived here to sky from Suakim. The men were in good health and appeared in good

The British Leaving Merawk.

Came, May 20.—Morney was evacuated by the British troops yesterday. The malives are fraulte with alarm at being abandoned to the mercy of El Mahdi. A Noted Italian Illi Rears May 20.—Signor Depretis, president of the Council of Ministers, is Hi.

SENSATION IN COURT. Trial of Pearre Regan in Baltimore This Morning.

BALTIMORE, Mo., May 26,-The trial of. James Graham Pearre, charged with attempting to violate the person of Mrs. Estelle M. Kukland at the Albion Hotel last March, which was postponed yesterday was begun to-day. As on yesterday there was an immense crowd of spectators present, the fashionable people predominating. The

the fashionable people predominating. The first important witness examined was the prosecutive herself. Mrs. Kukland. She is about 35 years old, has a neat figure and is very prepasse-sing in appearance. The mention of her name caused considerable commotion, and the throng of spectafors almost elimbed on each others shoulders to get a glimpse of her. She was given a scattimmediately in front of the larry. She wept bitterly and her soles were audible throughout the court room. The prisoner sat behind her, and as she related her story his face flushed and gave evidence that he did not enjoy his position. She testified that on the night of March. H. Jast, at the Albion Hotel, she was awakened by the more made by Pearre in getting into her room through a Pearre in setting into her room through a window. She then described the alleged assault made upon her by Pearre, and how she finally escaped from him, going to a servant's toom, where she remained all night. The testimone of Mrs. Kirkund caused a big sensation, and if published in the columns of a newspaper,

would be a treat to those fond of purion reading matter. The Indians and the Cowhoys, Treson, Alare. May 26.—Lordsburg advices state that the soldiers attacked the Indians on Blue River yesterday? The soldiers were compelled to retreat with three wounded. It is believed the Indians will attempt to recross into Solora via Arizona. It will be impossible for them to do so without coming into contact with the treops and cowboys, who are guarding every pass. There are fully 120 thoroughly-armed men trailing the Indians. Should they meet the hostiles before they get into Mexico, it will be a fight to the death. Mexico, it will be a fight to the death. Rucks, squaws and paposes will share the fare of extermination, "No quarter," is the cry of the cowboys.

A Probable Insurance Suit. ATLANIA, GA., May 26.—Norman B. Har-wood, who recently died in Florida from the effects of a fall from a horse, had \$200,-000 insurance upon his life. As there are conflicting reports as to the manner of his conflicting reports as to the manner of his death, the insurance companies have sent agents down from New York to book into the matter. The Equitable is interested to the extent of \$100,000 the United States, \$25,000. Northwestern, \$30,000; Manhattan \$20,000; New England Mutual, \$10,000; Pennsylvania Mutual, \$15,000, and Macyland Life, \$10,000.

Who Mand Stewart Was, New York, May 26.—The actress who went by the mane of Maint Stewart and who died in poverty at the hospital a few they ago, is learned to be Loonora Bradiey of Lancashire, England. She played in the Black Crook under the name of Grace Lounox, and afterward married a tentenant named Stewart at Leavenworth,

Naw York, May 26.—The body of the young lady who killed herself at the Grand Union. Hotel was identified had high by Gidson Badient of Hornby, N. Y., as his daughter, It is said that she had been infortunate in a love affair with a young The Conductors Enjoying Themselves,

Minnesports, Minn, May 26.—The rail-road commeters who are in the city to at-tend their annual convention gave their entire day and evening, in company with their wives, to entertainment.

MINOR NEWS NOTES. Authory Theis and Jacob Weskey, both mar-tice man, were drowned near Defroit his morn-ng by the appetting of a raft. the by the mesetting of a raff.

The new bemocratic organ at Philadelphia is to be called the Argos. It will be bound only as a Sanday purer during be summer and converted into a duly next fail.

The trial of Adolm Survekols, non-of-Claus Spreakels, the summer line to shorting M. R. De Young procedured of the San Francisco Tayrache, on November 10 hast, was concurrenced yesternly and will occupy several design.

stances leading to show that she was counted in some improved cultivaries, and has been sent to New York in charge of a gains receiv. The Andrews had armed men about an aminton to her crew, and behaved in a rether practical facilities for an honder vessel. It is supposed that she was engaged in a fillbustering expedient directed against the peace and order of the United States of Colombia. It is time that the full of the colombia created by irresponding associated in the fine of interoceanic transit were brought to a close.